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**STATUS LETTER**  
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In response to your communication filed on March 08,2007

1. A Notice of Allowance for the above identified application was mailed on 08/01/2006.

2. The above identified application has been assigned a patent number and issue date. An issue notification will be mailed within \_\_\_\_\_ weeks.

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4. Your application is currently located in \_\_\_\_\_. Please call 703/571\_\_\_\_\_ to make further inquiries.

5. There was a printer rush on this application dated 08/17/2006 that needs to be acted on. I sent the paper to examiner Kevin Troung in Techonology Center 3734.

If you have any questions, you may contact the Office of Patent Publication's Customer Service Office on 571-272-4200 or by facsimile on 703-308-5065.

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**P A T E N T**  
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By *JoAnn Lindman*  
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Dear Sir:

Please advise as to the status of the above-captioned patent application, and when we should expect an Issue Notification. The issue fee was paid on November 1, 2006. Any inquiry regarding this matter may be directed to the undersigned representative.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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